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## **Road Closure**

### **IL 54 between Melvin and Gibson City**

Ottawa, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that work to replace the three IL 54 structures between Melvin and Gibson City continues. This \$2,274,079.56 contract has been awarded to Tobey's Construction & Cartage, Inc. of Herscher, Illinois.

Originally slated to be completed in late August, heavy rains and flooded site conditions have pushed the completion date for this work back to mid-September. At that time, the road will be re-opened and remaining work will be completed utilizing flaggers. All work related to this contract will be completed this autumn.

Motorists are encouraged to use caution when travelling through this work zone or along the detour route.

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Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.

(Contract #66994)



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